

**SOUTH I-YES
May 12, 2001
AM PRESENTERS**

**PRODUCING NATURAL BEEF AND CHICKEN FOR THE RETAIL
MARKET**

Gettlefinger Natural Meat Farm

Adam Gettlefinger, Eric Gettlefinger, and Keith Gettlefinger

How beef and chickens are raised naturally from birth to harvest including vegetarian feed rations.

Appropriate grade level 6-8

Class size 30

EXPLORING THE BEEHIVE

Darst Family

Sarah Darst and Elise Chapman

See a bee, watch a bee, and be a bee.

Appropriate grade level 3-8

Class size 30

**TRASH TO TREASURE
THREADS**

South Central Jr./Sr. High School

THREADS is a student-run embroidery business. The students will demonstrate how to make treasures out of trash.

Appropriate grade level 3-6

Class size 20

IN A SMALL POND

South Central Elementary School

**Rachel Pease, Matthew Fox, Samuel Cunningham, Tyler Gabhart, and
Whitney Kaiser**

Students will share how they planned and built a small indoor pond for their classroom. Lessons learned from the study of ponds include habitats, habitat protection and how pollution affects pond life.

Appropriate grade level 3-5

Class size 20

ENDANGERED WILDLIFE
New Middletown Elementary School
Thelma Fields

A study of several different animals from around the world and the ecosystems where they live. The purpose of the study is to show the importance of saving and protecting endangered animals and their habitats.

Appropriate grade level 3-5

Class size 20

BLUE RIVER WATER QUALITY
Corydon Central Junior High School
Travis Bushau

Learn how students keep track of the water quality of Blue River.

Appropriate grade level 6-8

Class size 20

INDIANA BROWN BATS
Corydon Central High School
Jerry Conrad

To be announced

Appropriate grade level 6-8

Class size 20

MAKING PAPER FROM RECYCLED PAPER
Brownstown Elementary School
Marsha Marshall

Learn to recycle your used paper back into paper.

Appropriate grade level 3-8

Class size 30

BLUEBIRDS

**St. John's Lutheran School
Brain Oberdick**

Learn how to attract bluebirds to your school. Make a bluebird house.

Appropriate grade level 3-8

Class size 12

**ENVIRONMENTAL ART
St. Joseph School
Karen Gleitz**

Learn how to use recycled materials to make great works of art.

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Class size

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STORIES TO LIVE BY
Susan Fowler

This session will involve students and teachers in a play that promotes friendship, care and stewardship! Various story ideas as well as music and sign language will be a part of the sharing!

Appropriate grade level 3-8

Class size 30

ANIMAL TRIVIA
Tammy Davis
Interpretive Naturalist Hardy Lake

Learn interesting facts about different Indiana animals by playing a game.

Appropriate grade level 3-8

Class size 30

MOTHER NATURE'S RECYCLERS
VERMICULTURE 101
Paul Schellenberger

Students will investigate buckets of earthworms, and get to run their fingers through rich, black, odorless wormcastings. They will learn to make earthworm bins from organic material such as straw, leaves, and egg cartons.

Appropriate grade level 3-8

Class size 20

EDIBLE LANDFILLS
Chad Trinkle
Indiana Department of Environmental Management

Students will learn about solid waste disposal by constructing a landfill made of food. The finished product will be consumed!

Appropriate grade level 3-5

Class size 30

DOES THE CALL OF THE WILD INCLUDE THE DINNER BELL?

**Kari Pirce
Bradford Woods**

Learn how the Native Americans of Indiana (pre 1800) would have used the forest for their everyday needs. Discover how to tell the “safe” wild edibles from the poisonous look alikes. Learn the ten general rules on safely collecting wild edibles.

Appropriate grade level 6-8

Class size 30

RECYCLING AND NATURAL RESOURCE CONSUMPTION

**Jim Daniels
Vanderburgh County Solid Waste District**

Using a computer program students will learn what resources and ingredients are used to manufacture paper, aluminum, and steel. Ecological methods of construction and material selection will also be discussed.

Appropriate grade level 6-8

Class size 30

ENVIRONMENTAL VOLUNTEERISM

**John L. Winters
Friends of the White River**

Get involved – VOLUNTEER – Learn how the Friends of the White River use youth to help them protect and restore the west fork of the White River.

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Class size 20

CAVE AND KARST MANAGEMENT

Todd Webb

IDNR Forestry Wyandotte Caves

Join a discussion of issues concerning caves including: sensitive species, groundwater, formations and recreational caving.

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Class size 30

TREELESS UNLESS Cassie Hauswald The Nature Conservancy

Play a game to learn the best management practices used to protect our forests.

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RAPTOR REHABILITATION Kathleen Johnson Louisville Zoo Raptor Rehabilitation Docents

Visit live raptors as their rehab volunteers discuss the importance of returning them to the wild.

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